

Request for Council Action

Originator Communications	Cable Television Franchise Extension
Agenda Section CONSENT	Date 12/15/2014

Description

The City is in the process of renewing Bloomington's cable franchise agreement with Comcast, which initially expired on February 16, 2014. On February 3, 2014, the City adopted a resolution extending the agreement to December 31, 2014. The City is currently in discussions with Comcast representatives regarding the terms and conditions of a renewed Cable Television Franchise Ordinance. Staff recommends an extension of the franchise term from January 1, 2015 through April 30, 2015, which is needed to allow appropriate time to negotiate a successful franchise renewal agreement between the City and Comcast in accordance with the federal Cable Act.

Requested Action

Staff recommends adopting a resolution granting Comcast a franchise extension from January 1, 2015 through April 30, 2015.

Attachments:

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